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FRANKFURT FOR RSS

E. O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: PINS, ASEC, TU  
SUBJ: POLITICAL VIOLENCE RESUME

1. RELATIVE LULL IN INCIDENTS OF POLITICAL VIOLENCE WHICH RESIDENTS  
OF ISTANBUL ENJOYED IMMEDIATELY AFTER JUNE 5 NATIONAL ELECTIONS ENDED  
ABRUPTLY LAST WEEK. ON JUNE 14 OFFICER OF LOCAL YOUTH BRANCH OF  
RIGHT-WING NATIONAL ACTION PARTY (NAP) WAS SHOT AND KILLED DURING DAY

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TIME IN ONE OF BUSIEST AREAS OF CITY. APPARENT RETALIATORY ATTACK  
CAME JUNE 21 WHEN RIGHTIST "KOMANDOS" OPENED FIRE ON GROUP OF  
LEFTIST STUDENTS ABOARD A MUNICIPAL BUS AT BUSY INTERSECTION AT  
CENTER OF CITY. THEY KILLED ONE STUDENT AND WOUNDED SEVERAL OTHER  
PERSONS. ONE OF ASSAILANTS WAS ARRESTED BY POLICE AND IDENTIFIED  
AS MEMBER OF NAP UNOFFICIAL YOUTH ORGANIZATION (IDEALISTIC  
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2. TWO BOMBINGS ALSO TOOK PLACE LAST WEEK. AROUND MID-DAY JUNE 17  
GROUP OF ABOUT 100 DEMONSTRATORS WERE PROTESTING RECENT MOLUCCAN  
TERRORIST INCIDENT OUTSIDE DUTCH CONSULATE GENERAL. SOMEONE IN GROUP  
HURLED SMALL BOMB INTO CONSULATE COMPOUND: EXPLOSION BROKE WINDOWS  
BUT CAUSED NO INJURIES. LATER THAT SAME DAY, BOMB EXPLODED AT  
CHAMBER OF INDUSTRIES LOCATED IN SAME CITY BLOCK AS AMCONGEN. THERE  
WAS ALSO ONLY MINOR DAMAGE AND NO INJURIES FROM THAT EXPLOSION.

3. COMMENT: RESIDENS OF CITY HAD ENTERTAINED HIGH HOPES THAT AGONY OF LAST TWO YEARS OF ALMOST DAILY INCIDENTS OF POLITICAL VIOLENCE WOULD BE RELIEVED AFTER THIS YEAR'S ELECTIONS. MILITANT GROUPS OF BOTH LEFT AND RIGHT IN THIS CITY, HOWEVER, ARE WELL ENTRENCHED AND RECENT POLITICAL VIOLENCE MAY INDICATE NEWLY INSTALLED RPP GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE DIFFICULTY ACHIEVING ITS NUMBER ONE PRIORITY OF RESTORING DOMESTIC PEACE.  
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